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Anent the MAINTENANCE of the ARMY
And Moneys to be raised for that effect.

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 His Estates of Parliament now de-
 livered in the second Session of the
 first Triennial Parliament, By the
 Act of the last Act of the said Par-
 liament, holden by his Majesty
 the three Estates, in a message
 taking to their consideration, the
 great prejudice and danger which
 the Kingdom and Religion have
 already sustained by the late Inva-
 sion of the Irish Rebels, and their
 naturall Conveyment; And how
 necessarily it is incumbent to the
 being now convened, to provide for all speedy and solid remedies
 against the same; For which effect, finding it most expedient, That not
 only this Kingdom may be put in a just Posture of Defence, but also
 so, That a constant and settled way may be established for protect-
 ing, with Gods assistance, the Warre against the saids Invaders in the
 hostile manner, to their utter overthrow and destruction, Have therefore
 thought fitting for the more speedy execution hereof, and for the
 and recruiting their Forces after mentioned, and for the maintenance
 of the same, in the most easie and proportionable manner
 for the Lieges; To enact, statute, and ordaine, and to cause to be
 they enact, statute, and ordaine their presents following, To be
 and observed by all the Subjects of this Kingdom, and by all
 hereafter express.

- In the first, That the Countrey may be freed of Quartering, Ransoms, and Plunderings; and that the Labourers (and Tradesmen) may do their Labour at home, except upon extreme necessity, both for the sake of the Kingdom, and most certain for their own. That every Ship and Bough, shall enter the first Port of Call, and not to stop, on the last day of August, or the first day of September.

portion of Forces, Horse and Foot, as well Souldier as Officer, according to the rule of Loane and Taxt, extending in the particular, to the number and summes contained in the Rols following, which is declared to bee the two part of the pay due to be payed within Scotland, to the Officers of Horse and Foot, and to the Souldiers of Foot, and Fourteen shillings to the Trouper: The third to run in arears to the saids Officers and Foot Souldiers, and Four shillings to the Horse, and a proportionable part to the Dragooners.

Here follows the tenor of the saids Rols, payable to the Officers of Horse, Foot, and Dragooners, by the Shires and Burrows, conforme to the division and proportion following, *viz.* The monethly pay of ane Regiment of Horse in their Quarters, being the two part of their Pay, conforme to the Scots establishment: Officers of the Staffe, Colonell *per mensem* 333 l. 6 s. 8 d. Lievetenant Colonell 200 l. Major 133 l. 6 s. 8 d. Minister 26 l. 13 s. 4 d. Regiment Quarter-Master 45 l. Chyrurgion 30 l. Eight Root-masters, each of them 100 l. *per mensem inde* 800 l. Eight Lievetenants, each of them 45 l. *per mensem inde* 360 l. Eight Cornets, each of them 36 l. *per mensem inde* 288 l. Eight Quarter-masters, each of them 30 l. *per mensem inde* 240 l. Twenty four Corporals, each of them 24 l. *per mensem inde* 576 l. Eight Trumpeters, each of them 20 l. *per mensem inde* 160 l. Six hundred Troupers, each of them 14 s. *per diem*, is 21 l. *per mensem inde* 12600 l. The monethly Pay of a Regiment of Foot in their Quarters, conforme to the Scots establishment, being two part of their Pay, Colonel *per mensem* 222 l. 4 s. 4 d. Lievetenant Colonell *per mensem* 133 l. 6 s. 8 d. Major *per mensem* 88 l. 17 s. 4 d. Minister *per mensem* 26 l. 13 s. 4 d. Regiment Quarter-master *per mensem* 30 l. Chyrurgion 30 l. Drummer-Major *per mensem* 12 l. Regiment Sriver *per mensem* 20 l. Provest Marshall *per mensem* 12 l. Ten Captains *per mensem* 666 l. 13 s. 4 d. Ten Lievetenants *per mensem* 300 l. Ten Ensignes *per mensem* 240 l. Twenty Sergeants *per mensem* 200 l. Thirty Corporals *per mensem* 240 l. Ten Captains at Armes *per mensem* 100 l. Nineteen Drummers *per mensem* 132 l. Anethousand common Souldiers *per mensem* 6000 l.

Followes the summes monethly payable according to thirty dayes *per mensem*: Together with the number of men to bee entertained by the Shires and Burghs according to the Taxt, *viz.* Orkney 127 men, monethly Pay 1143 l. Innerness 464 men, monethly Pay 4176 l. Caithness 105 men, monethly Pay 945 l. Cromarty 11 men, monethly Pay 99 l. Sutherland 47 men, monethly Pay 423 l. Nairne 35 men, monethly Pay 315 l. Elgine 210 men, monethly Pay 1890 l. Aberdene 727 men, monethly pay 6543 l. Bamff 159 men, monethly Pay 1431 l. Kincardine 174 men, monethly Pay 1566 l. Forfar 556 men, monethly Pay 5004 l. Perth 889 men, monethly Pay 8001 l. Fyfe 738 men, monethly pay 6642 l. Stirling 282 men, monethly pay 2538 l. Kinross 16 men, monethly Pay 144 l. Dundee 18 men, monethly Pay 162 l. Edinburgh 467 men, monethly Pay 4167 l. Linlithgow 194 men, monethly Pay 1746 l. Haddington 376 men, monethly Pay 3384 l. Berwick 395 men, monethly Pay

Pay 3555 l. Roxburgh 642 men, monethly pay 5778 l. Selkirk 1278 men, monethly pay 1278 l. Peebles 182 men, monethly pay 1640 l. Lanerk 598 men, monethly pay 5382 l. Aire 674 men, monethly pay 6066 l. Wigtoun and Stewartrie of Kircudbright 486 men, monethly pay 4374 l. Drumfreis 494 men, monethly pay 4446 l. Ranfrew 245 men, monethly pay 2205 l. Dumbarton 197 men, monethly pay 1233 l. Argyle 323 men, monethly pay 2907 l. Bute 146 men, monethly pay 459 l.

Followes the summes payable monethly, together with the number of men to be entertained by the Burrows; Edinburgh 574 men, at 6 s. *per diem*, *inde per mensem* 5166 l. Perth 110 men, at 6 s. *per diem*, *inde per mensem* 990 l. Dundee 186 men, monethly pay 1674 l. Aberdeen 160 men, monethly pay 1440 l. Stirling 36 men, monethly pay 324 l. Linlithgow 30 men, monethly pay 270 l. S. Andrews 60 men, monethly pay 540 l. Glasgow 110 men, monethly pay 990 l. Air 41 men, monethly pay 369 l. Haddingtoun 36 men, monethly pay 324 l. Dysert 30 men, monethly pay 270 l. Kirkaldie 46 men, monethly pay 414 l. Montros 53 men, monethly pay 477 l. Cowper 24 men, monethly pay 216 l. Anstruther easter 31 men, monethly pay 279 l. Drumfreis 44 men, monethly pay 396 l. Innerneffe 40 men, monethly pay 360 l. Breichen 20 men, monethly pay 180 l. Irving 23 men, monethly pay 207 l. Elgme 20 men, monethly pay 180 l. Jedburgh 18 men, monethly pay 162 l. Wigtoun 15 men, monethly pay 135 l. Pittinweyme 15 men, monethly pay 135 l. Dumferling 12 men, monethly pay 108 l. Dumbarton 12 men, monethly pay 108 l. Ranfrew 10 men, monethly pay 90 l. Lanerk 16 men, monethly pay 144 l. Kircudbright 20 men, monethly pay 180 l. Aberbrothok 10 men, monethly pay 90 l. Bruntland 16 men, monethly pay 144 l. Peebles 10 men, monethly pay 90 l. Carrail 24 men, monethly pay 216 l. Kinghorn 14 men, monethly pay 126 l. Thayne 12 men, monethly pay 108 l. Selkirk 10 men, monethly pay 90 l. Anstruther wester 6 men, monethly pay 54 l. Culros 12 men, monethly pay 108 l. Dumbar 12 men, monethly pay 108 l. Bamff 8 men, monethly pay 72 l. Whithorne 5 men, monethly pay 45 l. Forfar 6 men, monethly pay 54 l. Forres 6 men, monethly pay 54 l. Rothsay 5 men, monethly pay 45 l. Rutherglen 5 men, monethly pay 45 l. Northberwick 4 men, monethly pay 36 l. Culane 4 men, monethly pay 36 l. Nairn 4 men, monethly pay 36 l. Lawder 5 men, monethly pay 45 l. Innerkenting 10 men, monethly pay 90 l. Kiltynnie 3 men, monethly pay 27 l. Annand 3 men, monethly pay 27 l. Lochmaben 3 men, monethly pay 27 l. Sanchuer 3 men, monethly pay 27 l. Galloway 1 man, monethly pay 9 l. Queensferrie 7 men, monethly pay 63 l.

Item, It is ordained for prosecution of the Warre against the Rebels within the Kingdom, That there be made up of the present Regiments upon foot, by Recrues or otherwayes, 9000 foot, and these to be in Eleven Regiments, each Regiment in 8. or 10. Companies, and in each Company 100. men, and where they are to bee recruited, That each Company be made up of 126 men, where the same may be com.

only gotten done. And that 600. Horse be employed in this Service, with their Officers and Commanders, to be made up and commanded as the Parliament and their Committees have given, or shall give order. And that the 500. Dragoners, with a Lieutenant Colonel Major, and other inferior Officers, to be divided in 8. Companies, and to be paid conform to the Roll of establishment, which Officers and Souldiers are to be entertained at the Rates contained in the Table above-written, which they are to receive duely in money and provisions monthly, The one half at least in money, and the other half in Oat-meal, or other provisions usefull for the Army, at the ordinary Rates for the time. And for the better collecting and ingathering of the saids summes of money, for payment and entertainment of the saids Officers and Souldiers: The Estates nominate and appoints Sir *Adam Hepburn* of Humble General Collector, with power to him to substitute Deputes in ilk Shire, and that other Collectors in Burghs and Paroches be appointed in sikelike manner, as is contained in the Act of Taxt and Loane; with power to the said General Collector to appoint a Clerk of Collection; Which Collector-Deputes, allwel of Shires as of Burghs and Paroches and Clerk of Collection, shall have such like Fees as is allowed in the said Act of Taxt and Loane, and that to be up-listed out of the said Shires and Paroches, by and attour the said maintenance: And the Burghs to be free, in respect they collect their Taxt upon their owne charges.

Item, If any Shire, Burgh, or Person therein designed, be deficient in paying their monthly proportion, so that the Souldiers for want be put to Quarters in any other Shire or Burgh, In that case it is Ordained, that the Shire or Burgh, who shall Quarter the Officers or Souldiers, shall have restitution of the failzies, with a third part more in name of failzie. And after compt and reckoning with the Commissar of these Regiments or Troupes, The Shires or Burghs shall have assignation *pro tanto*, and a third part more to their localitie for their relief and satisfaction: And in case of their refusal, the Committee of Estates with the Army, is to give order thereanent to the Committee of Warre of the Shire, designed by the Estates, being conjunctly lyable for the proportion of the Shires, and the Magistrats of Burghs for the Burghs, except for such lands of Burghs, as shall be found by the Committee of Estates with the Army to be still possessed by the enemy, or to have bin altogether wasted and burnt by them, so that they cannot be profitable to the Heritors, which deficiency is to be supplied by the Committee of Estates, out of the Fynes, Forfeitures, or any other Moneys due to the Publick: And the Committee of Warre to have their relief of the disobedients to the double, and als to have the assistance of the Forces, if they require the same. And with power to the saids Committees of War in every Shire (who are hereby declared to be lyable in the monthly maintenance due to the Souldiers) to call unto them any Heritor within their respective Shires, and to cause them binde with the said Committee for such summes of Money to be contracted for the said maintenance: But always provided, That the Burghs that shall happen to be upon the

the saids Committees of Waine of the Shire shall be no farther bound nor answerable for the maintenance due by the Shire, but all manner of the lands pertaining to the saids Burgeses lying within the Shire, shall any have.

Item, To the effect that the Shires and Burghs be not deceived by false musters, and so pay for men who are not really in service, it is ordained, That these who shall be appointed for mustering, shall yearly, as they shall be required, take a survey of each Regiment of company, as well Horse, Foot, as Dragoners, and that the Shires and Burghs who shall pay their proportion, or shall happen to quarter them, may have one, with such as shall be appointed by the Committee to muster them, if he be present with the Armie; otherwise, in absence of that Muster-master, the persons so nominate by the Shire or Burgh, may muster them: And these Officers who are required to muster their men, and refuses, shall forfeit their place and by-gone pay; And whatsoever horse shall be found to be made use of for making of false musters, the Horse shall be confiscate, and the owner of the Horse shall pay one hundred pounds to the Publick, whensoever it shall be tried: And a Footman who shall be made use of for making of false musters, shall be punishable by scourging or burning. And the Muster-master, Captaine, or any other Officer of Horse, Foot, or Dragoners, shall be found guilty of such false musters, shall lose his place instantly, and all his by-gone pay.

Item, It is ordained, That Magazines of Victuall be provided out of the moneys to be raised in part of what shall be due, and put in convenient and sure places of the Kingdome, from which it may be most commodiously carried to the Army: And that there be Proviant Masters appointed, as well for the North as for the South. And to the end that these Magazines may be timely provided, the Proviant Masters are appointed to go about the same diligently: And the Shires and Burghs are hereby ordained, before the first day of April next, To advance three moneths of the summes layd upon them. And because by the present Stent laid upon the Shires, the burden may be unequal, which cannot presently be knowne, in respect the valuations of Loan and Taxt are not come in, It is appointed, That the whole valuations within the Kingdome, not already brought in to the Clerk of the Loan and Taxt, be brought in before the first day of May next done and perfected, conforme to the Act of Convention made thereunto: And that they may be compared by one person to be appointed for ilk Shire, and the comparing to be perfected betwixt and the first day of June next. And if it shall be found that some Shires maintaines more Officers and Souldiers then others, they shall be eased thereof, and each Shire proportioned in an equal way, conforme to their Rents: And if the Shire shall failzie, and not bring in the valuations betwixt and the said first day of May next, They shall not onely be debarr'd from any benefit or ease to be granted to them, but also shall bear the burden of any that shall be granted to these Shires who shall bee found to be overvalued. And for the Burrowes part of this Taxt, it shall be made

altered, according as their Taxt Roll shall bee altered.

Item, The retention of six for the hundred of annuall-rents to be for the years of God 1645. *viz.* From Martinmasse 1644. to Martinmasse 1645. Providing alwayes the annuall-rents be fully payed within the same yeare, 1645. otherwise no retention to be granted by the Creditors, who notwithstanding hereof, shall have power to charge his Debtor at any Terms, conforme to his Band.

That all Heritors of land within Burgh, or Pendicles and Liberties thereof, all Burgesses, all Traffiquers exercising any Trade, shall be subject to taxation within Burgh, but prejudice for the time to come of the whole members of the Colledge of Justice, their former Rights, Priviledges, and Immunities, wherewith for the present in regard of the present exigencie they doe dispence.

Item, It is ordained, That no suspension be granted of any charge to follow upon this present Act, without a discharge from the party charger, or consignation of the summe charged for, (it so be it be upon a speciall charge) and whilk consignation shall be made in the hands of the Collectors *respective*, *viz.* In the hands of the Collectors within the Shire for the Shire, and within the Burgh for the Burgh, Pendicles, and Liberties thereof, including within the Pendicles of Edinburgh, the Houses, Tenements, and Yards within Leith, Cannongate, and Pleasance, so farre as pertaines to the Towne of Edinburgh in propertie or superioritie, and within the Pendicles of other Burrowes all that hath beene in use to have beene taxed with them: And all other suspensions to be null; And that it be granted by the Committee of Estates. And these suspensions to be past by the Clerk Register and his Deputes, upon production of the discharge from the Collectors of the Shires or Burghs, or a Testificat that the summes were consigned in their hands: And the same suspensions to be discussed by the Committes or Estates of Parliament.

Item, It is statute and ordained, That all Fines, Forfaulters moneyes for forefaulted Lands, Rents, and others past and done in this Session of Parliament, and in time coming, shall be imployed for the present use of the Army: As also that all Fines, Forefaulters, and moneyes for forefaulters, past and done in the former Session of this Parliament, which are not already disposed upon by the said former Session of Parliament, or their Committees, shall be likewise imployed to the use foresaid.

It is alwayes expresly declared, statute, and ordained, That no retention shall be granted of this present maintenance hereby imposed upon Shires and Burghs for any Debt, Cause, or Occasion whatsoever, and that no exemption shall be granted therefrom to any person or persons whatsoever; except only for Lands, Rents, Annual-rents, and other duties mortified to Colledges, Schooles, Hospitals, Ministers and Pastors Stipends, and for upholding of Kirks and Bridges, but that all Heritors, Life-renters, Tailmen, Titulars, Proper Woodsetters, and other Conjunctors, and Ladie-terces, and others subject to the same within Shires or Burghs, whereby profit or commoditie arises,

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ses,shal be lyable to their proportionable part of this maintenance, that the Lands and Teinds shall pay as they lye locally in Shires, not by annexation, conforme to the Act of Convention for Tax Loan.

Further it is declared, That the payment of the said Tax shall be made by the Shires, shall be paid by the Shires, and shall come, and pay for the first four moneths, conforme to the former Act, and thereafter as they shall be rectified and given in by the Surveyors, after the same shall be revised by the former Valuers: For the which effect the Estates of Parliament renewes the former Commission granted by Act of Convention.

And finally it is declared and Ordained, That the Letters and Charges to follow upon this present Act and Ordinance, shall be raised at the instance of the Generall Collector and his Deputes, against the Committees of Shires, and Magistrates of Burrows, and Letters for their relief, at the instance of the Committee of the Shire, and their Collectors, against Heritors, Fewers, Fermorers, in the common forme: And all these Letters to be direct in the same manner, with the same provisions, and with the same certifications, contained in the Act of Convention of Estates made for the Loan and Tax.

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